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Dorris Delafield had a nice position as private secretary to the manager of a bank and in that captacity she earned enough money to support herself and her aged grandfather both of whom resided in a large rooming house where there were several other residents and boarders.

The young woman had been working very hard and her employer arranged so that she could take a vacation, and had directed her to a suitable hotel at Hot Springs. There was also a possibility of him having his vacation at the same time. An innocent letter from him to the girl in which their two names were coupled as going to the same hotel, came under the eyes of her landlady and her fellow boarders, and cast suspicion on the girl. However, she went on her vacation leaving her grandfather behind.

Staying at the same hotel was Dean De Witt who had had a disagreement with his wife on account of another woman who was making herself prominent in De Witt's affairs. He east covetous eyes upon Dorris Delafiela, and posing as an unmarried man wormed his way into her affections; took her on fishing and boating excursions. Finally he asked her to be his wife and ordered a ring for her. This ring, however, was delivered to DeWitt's lawful wife, who immediately proceeded to the hotel and confronted her husband and Dorris. The latter though protesting her innocence was ordered from the hetel. Upon returning home she found that the news had gotten into the papers. She and her father were turned out of the house and she lost her position at the bank.

In her despair she called upon another old banking friend of her family; but he was dead. James Holden, the son, however who was in authority, willingly gave her a position as secretary to his mother, a position she filled to the satisfaction of all conversed.

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It was not long before James Holden fell in love with Dorris and she in turn loved him. The marriage was arranged and was solemnized in great state. But a crisis was rapidly arriving in Dorris' affairs. Mrs. DeWitt was Mrs. Holden's daughter and when she appeared at the reception she recognized Dorris as the girl who had been turned out of the hotel on account of her husband.

However, upon explanation Dorris' innocence was established. Young Mrs. Helden now sought out her grandfather and re-established him in life and as the wife of the President of the bank from which she had formerly been dismissed, she was in a position to reward those who had proved her friends and to forgive those who had not.

Moreover she set out and confronted her half brother who had stolen all the money she had sent to her grandfather and gave him a very bad time of it; and finally she established her innnecence and came out victorious in the matter of a church society from which she had been ordered out and to which the ladies in the house where she lived were members.

When she and her husband departed on their delayed honeymoon it was with hearts filled with happiness.

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